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SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S): This change replaces and supersedes Aug 2002 TPM, Change 28 and Aug 2002 TRM, Change 28, with the exception of the Foreword to both manuals. It replaces language that was initially removed but remains in full force and effect until the OPPS is implemented. The change also adds a notation on each page that the OPPS is tentatively scheduled for implementation on November 1, 2006.

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